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Hi All:

Thanks again to Rena for being willing to author this op-ed for the *Business Journal*. Please see the page in the print edition below and a link to the op-ed online. Attached, also please find a word document with the op-ed's contents, in case you don't have a subscription. The op-ed should be available in the print edition, which should be at subscribers' offices tomorrow.

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### **Time to Clean Up Street Vending**

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